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SUBJECT: CIVAIR: FRANKFURT CARGO TERMINAL PROBLEM

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1. EMBASSY HAS CONTACTED FEDERAL MINISTRY OF TRANSPORT (FMT) OFFICIALS DR. REHM AND PAAS AS WELL AS FRANKFURT REPRESENTATIVES OF SEABOARD WORLD AIRLINES (SWA) AND PAN AM REGARDING PROPOSED MOVE OF CUSTOMS FACILITIES FROM SWA/PAN AM CARGO TERMINAL. SWA AND PAN AM SENT A JOINT LETTER OF PROTEST MAY 10 TO THE CUSTOMS OFFICE AT THE AIRPORT WITH COPIES TO THE MINISTRIES OF TRANSPORT AND FINANCE. THERE HAS BEEN NO RESPONSE, BUT PAN AM CARGO MANAGER PATZINA SAID HE HAD HEARD A RUMOR THAT THE AIRPORT CUSTOMS OFFICE HAD EXCEED ITS AUTHORITY AND IS UNDER FIRE FROM THE ABOVE NAMED MINISTRIES AND FROM HIGHER LEVELS IN THE CUSTOMS SERVICE. SWA MANAGER BUTTLER SAID HE HAD HEARD THAT THE FMT HAD STRONGLY CRITICIZED CUSTOMS FOR ACTING ON A MATTER AFFECTING INTERNATIONAL AVIATION WITHOUT FIRST COORDINATING WITH THE FMT.

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2. FMT OFFICIALS WERE MORE RETICENT. BOTH PAAS AND REHM POINTED OUT THAT CUSTOMS WAS NOT UNDER FMT CONTROL, AND BOTH SAID THAT THEY CONSIDERED THIS A MINOR PROBLEM SO FAR AS US-FRG AVIATION RELATIONS AND THE FORTHCOMING CONSULTATIONS ARE CONCERNED. THEY UNDERTOOK, HOWEVER, TO BE PREPARED TO REPORT ON THE SITUATION DURING THE CONSULTATIONS.

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